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Information Required of Brokers and Dealers Pursuant to Section 17.01 the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and Rule 17a-5 Thereunder

REPORT FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING	01/01/06 ANI	D ENDING	12/31/06
	MM/DD/YY		MM/DD/YY
A. RE	GISTRANT IDENTIFICATION	ON	
NAME OF BROKER-DEALER: Dow Jo	nes B.D. Services, Inc.		OFFICIAL USE ONLY
ADDRESS OF PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BU	SINESS: (Do not use P.O. Box No.)	•	FIRM I.D. NO.
200 Liberty Street			
•	(No. and Street)		
New York	New York	10	281
(City)	(State)	(Zi	p Code)
NAME AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF F Jennifer Kim, Director of Acc		any, Inc. (6	
B. ACC	COUNTANT IDENTIFICATION	ON	
INDEPENDENT PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT PriceWaterhouseCGoopers LLP	whose opinion is contained in this R	eport*	
	(Name - if individual, state last, first, mide	lle name)	
300 Madison Avenue	New York	New York	10017
(Address)	(City)	(State)	(Zip Code)
CHECK ONE:			
Certified Public Accountant			PROCESSED
Public Accountant			MAR 0 7 2007
☐ Accountant not resident in Ur	nited States or any of its possessions.	_	MAR 07 2007
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<sup>\*</sup>Claims for exemption from the requirement that the annual report be covered by the opinion of an independent public accountant must be supported by a statement of facts and circumstances relied on as the basis for the exemption. See Section 240.17a-5(e)(2)



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# OATH OR AFFIRMATION

I, Richard A. Ciuba	, swear (or affirm) that, to the best of
my knowledge and belief the accompanying financial stater	
Dow Jones B.D. Services Inc.	, as, are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that
of February 23, 20	07 , are true and correct. I further swear (or affirm) that
neither the company nor any partner, proprietor, principal	officer or director has any proprietary interest in any account
classified solely as that of a customer, except as follows:	
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	Signature
	Signature
	President, Chief Compliance Officer
	Title
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Notary Public	Lisa M. Kelly Notary Public, State of New Jersey
	No. 2298096
This report ** contains (check all applicable boxes):  (a) Facing Page.	Oualified in Mercer County Commission Expires March 19, 2008 Feb 23, 2007
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(c) Statement of Income (Loss).	
<ul> <li>□ (d) Statement of Changes in Financial Condition.</li> <li>□ (e) Statement of Changes in Stockholders' Equity or P</li> </ul>	artners' or Sole Proprietors' Capital
(f) Statement of Changes in Liabilities Subordinated to	
(g) Computation of Net Capital.	
(h) Computation for Determination of Reserve Require	
(i) Information Relating to the Possession or Control I	n of the Computation of Net Capital Under Rule 15c3-1 and the
Computation for Determination of the Reserve Rec	quirements Under Exhibit A of Rule 15c3-3.
	d Statements of Financial Condition with respect to methods of
consolidation.  (I) An Oath or Affirmation. (Above)	
(ii) An Oath of Allifmation. (17600)	
	to exist or found to have existed since the date of the previous audit.

<sup>\*\*</sup>For conditions of confidential treatment of certain portions of this filing, see section 240.17a-5(e)(3).

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# Report of Independent Auditors

To the Board of Directors and Stockholders of Dow Jones BD Services, Inc.

In our opinion, the accompanying statement of financial condition and the related statements of income, changes in stockholder's equity and cash flows present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Dow Jones BD Services, Inc. at December 31, 2006, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year ended December 31, 2006 in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. These financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit of these statements in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, and evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The information contained in the Schedule on page 8 is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements, but is supplementary information required by Rule 17a-5 under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

February 23, 2007

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To the Board of Directors and Stockholder of Dow Jones BD Services, Inc.:

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In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of Dow Jones BD Services, Inc. (the "Company") as of and for the year ended December 31, 2006, in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America, we considered the Company's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control.

Also, as required by Rule 17a-5(g)(1) of the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"), we have made a study of the practices and procedures followed by the Company, including consideration of control activities for safeguarding securities. This study included tests of compliance with such practices and procedures, that we considered relevant to the objectives stated in Rule 17a-5(g), in making the following:

- 1. The periodic computations of aggregate indebtedness and net capital under Rule 17a-3(a)(11); and
- 2. Determining compliance with the exemptive provisions of Rule 15c3-3.

Because the Company does not carry securities accounts for customers or perform custodial functions relating to customer securities, we did not review the practices and procedures followed by the Company in any of the following:

- 1. Making the quarterly securities examinations, counts, verifications, and comparisons, and the recordation of differences required by Rule 17a-13; and
- 2. Complying with the requirements for prompt payment for securities under Section 8 of Federal Reserve Regulation T of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

The management of the Company is responsible for establishing and maintaining internal control and the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph. In fulfilling this responsibility, estimates and judgments by management are required to assess the expected benefits and related costs of controls and of the practices and procedures referred to in the preceding paragraph, and to assess whether those practices and procedures can be expected to achieve the SEC's above-mentioned objectives. Two of the objectives of internal control and the practices and procedures are to provide management with reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that assets for which the Company has responsibility are safeguarded against loss from



unauthorized v . disposition, and that transactions are executed in accordance with management's authorization and recorded properly to permit the preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles. Rule 17a-5(g) lists additional objectives of the practices and procedures listed in the preceding paragraph.

Because of inherent limitations in internal control and the practices and procedures referred to above, error or fraud may occur and not be detected. Also, projection of any evaluation of them to future periods is subject to the risk that they may become inadequate because of changes in conditions or that the effectiveness of their design and operation may deteriorate.

A control deficiency exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent or detect misstatements on a timely basis. A significant deficiency is a control deficiency, or combination of control deficiencies, that adversely affects the entity's ability to initiate, authorize, record, process, or report financial data reliably in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles such that there is more than a remote likelihood that a misstatement of the entity's financial statements that is more than inconsequential will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

A material weakness is a significant deficiency, or combination of significant deficiencies, that results in more than a remote likelihood that a material misstatement of the financial statements will not be prevented or detected by the entity's internal control.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first, second, and third paragraphs and would not necessarily identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control and control activities for safeguarding securities that we consider to be material weaknesses, as defined above.

We understand that practices and procedures that accomplish the objectives referred to in the second paragraph of this report are considered by the SEC to be adequate for its purposes in accordance with the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 and related regulations, and that practices and procedures that do not accomplish such objectives in all material respects indicate a material inadequacy for such purposes. Based on this understanding and on our study, we believe that the Company's practices and procedures were adequate at December 31, 2006 to meet the SEC's objectives.

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This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Board of Directors, management, the SEC, and other regulatory agencies that rely on Rule 17a-5(g) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 in their regulation of registered brokers and dealers, and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

February 23, 2007

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# Dow Jones BD Services, Inc. Statement of Financial Condition December 31, 2006

Assets	
Cash Accounts receivable, net Due from parent (Note 4) Deferred income taxes Total assets	\$ 2,721,282 5,594,710 850,414 5,083 9,171,489
Liabilities	
Other payables Income taxes payable Total liabilities	215,683 1,490,994 1,706,677
Stockholder's Equity	
Common stock, par value \$1 per share; authorized 1,000 shares; issued 100 shares Additional paid-in-capital Retained earnings  Total stockholder's equity	100 4,402,178 3,062,534 7,464,812
Total liabilities and stockholder's equity	\$9,171,489

# Dow Jones BD Services, Inc. Statement of Income Year Ended December 31, 2006

Revenues: Revenue	\$ 19,521,477
Total revenues	19,521,477
Expenses: General and administrative	130,237 .
Total expenses	130,237
Operating income	19,391,240
Other expense	7,593
Income before income taxes Income taxes	19,383,647 
Net income	\$ 12,271,787

# Dow Jones BD Services, Inc. Statement of Changes in Stockholder's Equity Year Ended December 31, 2006

	Com:		Additional Paid-in Capital		etained arnings	S	otal tockholder's quity
Balance, January 1, 2006	\$	100	\$ 4,402,178	\$	2,878,037	\$	7,280,315
Net income					12,271,787		12,271,787
Distributions to parent				<u>(</u>	12,087,290)	·	(12,087,290)
Balance, December 31, 2006	\$	100	\$ <u>4,402,178</u>	\$_	3,062,534	\$_	7,464,812

# Dow Jones BD Services, Inc. Statement of Cash Flows Year Ended December 31, 2006

Cash flow from operating activities:	
Net income	\$ 12,271,787
Adjustments to reconcile net income to net cash provided by operating activities	
Change in assets and liabilities	
Accounts receivable	998,686
Other payables	143,600
Due from parent	(1,115,556)
Income taxes	485,014
Deferred income taxes	(5,083)
Net cash provided by operating activates	12,778,448
Cash flow from financing activities:	
Distributions to parent	(12,087,290)
Net cash used in financing activities	(12,087,290)
Increase in cash	691,158
Beginning of the period	2,030,124
End of the year	\$ 2,721,282

# Dow Jones BD Services, Inc. Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2006

#### 1. Organization

Dow Jones BD Services, Inc. (the "Company") is a wholly owned subsidiary of Dow Jones & Company, Inc. (the "Parent"), a Delaware corporation.

On December 19, 1997, the Company was registered as a broker/dealer under the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934. The Company's business is limited to collecting licensing fees. It does not perform any functions typically performed by broker-dealers, such as carrying customer accounts, keeping money or securities, engaging in proprietary trading, acting as a dealer in a security, providing investment advice or extending credit to others for the purchase of securities. The Company is an associate member of the National Association of Securities Dealers.

#### 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Revenues, which are recognized on an accrual basis, represent license fees earned under license agreements entered into by the Company, its Parent and third parties that these fees are attributed to and recorded by the Company due to their transaction-based nature pursuant to regulatory requirements (Note 3). These include fees based on the number of contracts traded on an exchange and fees based on the notional value of structured products issued by the Parent's licensees.

General and administrative expense includes allocated expenses for accounting and related support provided to the Company by the Parent.

The Company's cash is on deposit with one financial institution. As of December 31, 2006, the Company account balances with such financial institution exceed the federally insured limits.

Accounts receivable (billed and unbilled) represents amounts due from users for licensing fees. Revenues earned by the Company but unbilled as of December 31, 2006 amounted to approximately \$5 million. Collateral is not generally required from users. Historically, the write-offs of bad debts have been insignificant. The allowance for doubtful accounts reserve included in accounts receivable at December 31, 2006 was approximately \$14,000.

#### 3. Regulatory Requirements

The Company is subject to the Securities and Exchange Commission's ("SEC's") Uniform Net Capital Rule, Rule 15c3–1 under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 ("Exchange Act") which requires that the Company's net capital, as defined in Rule 15c3–1, shall be at least the greater of \$5,000 or 6-2/3% of aggregate indebtedness, as defined in Rule 15c3–1. At December 31, 2006, the Company had net capital of \$1,013,800 as calculated under Rule 15c3–1, which exceeded the Company's minimum net capital requirement of \$113,777 by \$900,023.

The Company is exempt from Rule 15c3-3 because it does not hold customer funds or securities.

# Dow Jones BD Services, Inc. Notes to Financial Statements December 31, 2006

#### 4. Related Party Transactions

The receivable due from Parent at December 31, 2006 was \$850,414 which primarily represented collections made by the Parent on behalf of the Company. In 2006, the Company made distributions to its Parent totaling \$12,087,290.

#### 5. Income Taxes

The Company is a member of a consolidated return group that includes Dow Jones & Company Inc. (the Company's immediate parent) and other subsidiaries of Dow Jones. The Company has prepared its tax accrual on the basis of its contribution to the overall tax provision of the consolidated group. The following represents the income tax expense for the operations and is an allocation by the parent based on the results of the Company:

#### Current

Federal tax expense State tax expense \$ 6,607,885 503,975 \$ 7,111,860

The principal reason for the difference between the Company's effective tax rate and the statutory federal income tax rate is state income taxes.

# Dow Jones BD Services, Inc. Computation of Net Capital Pursuant to Rule 15c3-1 of the Securities and Exchange Act December 31, 2006

# Supplemental schedule:

Computation of net capital	
Total ownership equity (from Statement of Financial Condition)	\$ 7,464,812
Total ownership equity qualified for net capital	7,464,812
Total capital and allowable subordinated liabilities	7,464,312
Non-allowable assets	(6,450,207)
Net capital before haircuts on securities positions	1,014,605
Haircuts on securities	(805)
Net capital	1,013,800
Computation of basic net capital requirement	
Minimum net capital required (6 2/3% of aggregate indebtedness	
or \$5,000, whichever is greater)	113,777
Excess net capital	\$ 900,023
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Aggregate indebtedness	
Items included in statement of financial condition	
Other payables	\$ 215,683
Income taxes payable	1,490,994
Total aggregate indebtedness	\$ 1,706,677
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